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Silver Hair Law

Dear Editor:

Among the items that Governor Sanford vetoed was an appropriation for the South Carolina Silver Haired Legislature.

The SCSHL was created in 1999 by the South Carolina Legislature signed into law the same year by the Governor and was charged with the following:

- To identify issues, concerns and possible solutions for problems facing the aging population in South Carolina;
- To make recommendations to the Governor, General Assembly and various Departments and Agencies on Aging;
- To arrange for and participate in educational forums to explore issues related to older South Carolinians;
- To promote good government for all South Car-
- To carry out its purposes and activities on a nonpartisan basis; and
- To conduct its general assembly sessions annually in the state capitol.

Due to prompt action of the South Carolina Legislators and the Lt. Governor this veto was overridden. The Trident Caucus of SCSHL expresses our sincere thanks to legislators and the Lt. Governor for their interest and concern for senior citizens of South Carolina.

Sincerely, David Unwin Chair, trident Area Caucus Area #9 Summerville